

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Hampden-Smith et al.

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(Formerly NAN-004-5)

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For: "COPPER POWDERS,
METHODS FOR PRODUCING
POWDERS AND DEVICES
FABRICATED FROM SAME"

) Group Art Unit: 2831

) Examiner: A. Dinkins

) AMENDMENT AFTER NOTICE OF
) ALLOWANCE
) (37 CFR §1.312(a))

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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment to the above-identified application.

At page 1, before "Background of the Invention" please insert --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/038,258, filed February 24, 1997, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/039,450, filed February 24, 1997.--

REMARKS

The foregoing amendment is being submitted to perfect the priority claim for the above-identified application. No new matter is being added.